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In re Patent Application of							
ROBERT S. BLOCK							
Application No.: 08/697,542 JUN 18 1999) Group Art Unit: 27	711						
Filed: August 27, 1996 Examiner: Vivek	Srivastava						
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR) INFORMATION LABELING AND) CONTROL)							
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231	JUN 2 2 1999 Orac 3 Arres						
Sir:							
Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.							
[X] A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.						
[X] Also enclosed is <u>Information Disclosure Statement with Fee, 3</u>	Also enclosed is <u>Information Disclosure Statement with Fee, 3 Docs. and PTO-1449</u> .						
[] are also enclosed [] were submitted previously.							
[] A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 enclosed.	A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.						
[X] No additional claim fee is required.							
[] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown by	pelow:						

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Total Claims		MINUS 39 =		x \$22.00 =	
Independent Claims		MINUS 11 =		x \$82.00 =	
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Total Amendment Fee					
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[]	A claim	fee in	the	amount of \$		_ is	enclosed	l.
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

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